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#### **ABSTRACT**

This bibliography of 185 books, journal articles, government and private agency reports, literature reviews, and conference papers was prepared for the "At-Risk" Task Force of the American Council on Rural Special Education. The general problem is one of children and youth who are placed, by the actions of self or others, in situations where they are likely to be physically, psychologically, or emotionally damaged or where they will not thrive. The purpose of the task force was to study this problem and to make policy recommendations related to dealing with aspects of the problem in rural areas. The bibliography is presented in outline form, the major sections being: (1) at-risk (general and rural references); (2) commission (psychological maltreatment, child abuse, induced academic failure, extreme pressure for conformity, learned helplessness, discrimination, migratory existence, and victims of crimes); (3) omission (child neglect, lack of parental or cultural support for education, lack of appropriate education, and nutritional deficiencies); (4) developing conditions (changes in domestic environment, diseases, psychological problems, and socially withdrawn); (5) induced problems (adolescent sexuality and pregnancy, substance abuse, eating disorders, delinquency, gambling, self-destructive behavior, stress, and aggression); and (6) preexisting conditions (family or minority group conditions, prenatal maternal actions, learning disabilities, congenital defects, birth trauma, and educationally disadvantaged). (SV)

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This paper is designed to provide the beginning information for this "At-Risk" task force. All of you are interested in one or more dimensions of "At-Risk" because of your presense. What we have tried to do in this paper is to indicate some (but, possibly not all) of the dimensions of "At-Risk", so that task force members can better gauge the breadth of the problem and can begin to take some action upon it.

The general problem, with which we are dealing, is one of children and youth who are placed, by the actions of self or others, in situations where they are likely to be physically, psychologically or emotionally damaged or where they will not thrive. This in its broadest sense is the meaning of "At-Risk". Children can be placed "at-risk" at various times, by various persons, and by various agencies. Some are more likely at one point or another in the development of a child. For example, adolescents are much more likely to be "at-risk" by running away than are children under the age of five.

At-risk is a generic term which relates to problems in the child (pre-existing conditions), things done to children and youth by others or by themselves, or conditions which develop as children and youth grow and mature which adversely affect their development (physical, intellectual, emotional, social, and educational) and legal status.

The purpose(s) of our task force is to study this problem and to make recommendations to policy makers related to dealing with aspects of the problem in rural areas. We may also wish to gather information to show the extent of the need or the kinds of programs which are the most effective in rural areas, in comparison to urban areas. To do this we must examine the literature and what we know from personal experience. The latter part of this paper presents some of the literature, at least enough to get started in examining most of the areas of "At-Risk".

After we have looked at the data we should look to informing the public(s) who we represent about the condition of "At-Risk" children and what should/can be done about it. To do this we need to look at various publics, e.g., pirents, teachers, workers for social/welfare agencies, children, and the community at large.

Within each area or dimension of "At-Risk" we need to look at a sample of the research related to rural children. If research has been done does it show that different strategies, interventions, techniques, etc., need to be used in rural areas. Or, are urban techniques satisfactory for use in rural areas. If no research has been done on rural populations should it be? This means, we think, prioritizing the kinds of research which reneds to be done in rural "At-Risk" on the basis of the severity of the problem and the cost of the research. We must recognize that there will always be



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research that needs to be done which will remain unfounded. We should insure that we have developed an agenda which can be communicated to the policy makers and the funding agencies so that when dollars are spent on rural "At-Risk" problems, that the right problems are addressed.

Finally we need to develop a priority list of the problems, we as a task force wish to address. This is probably some subset of the priorities list that we think should be generated. As part of this process we need to, we think, form committees looking at various aspects of "At-Risk" with various ages of children and youth. In this paper we try to provide some structure to the various causes of "at-risk". It should be recognized that the categories to which these causes are assigned are sometimes intituitively obvious and sometimes arbitrary. No attempt has been made to provide definitive categorization for problems which may have, potentially, many diverse causes, e.g., learning disabilities. The list of clients and problems is obviously, not comprehensive but we have tried to make it representitive.

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#### Things That are Done to Children and Youth

Events in this category include most of the interventions in the natural development of a child which cause developmental, educational, psychological or physical harm for that child. These things come in two categories comission and omission: These events are provided by parents, other family members, teachers, health and social service workers, medical personnel, judicial personnel, peers, and other adults. For some things only a relative can be involved, e.g., incest, but for others any adult may be the doer. Different kinds of events cause at-risk for young children, older children and youth therefore these are indicated differentially (1 = young children (0-4), 2 = older children (5-11), 3 = youth (12-18 or 21 if handicapped)) These numbers appear at the end of an entry to indicate the age of the typical victim. If no number is appended the research would indicate that it does not do different and apply equally to all ages.



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  - 2. Isolating 1,2



- Terrorizing 1,2
- 4. Ignoring
- 5. Corrupting (include pornography)
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- 7. Denying Emotional Expressiveness 2,3

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# Conditions that Develop Among Children and Youth

Conditions that develop among children and youth which cause at-risk typically are diseases, some educational problems (e.g., dyslexia) changes in environment including physical, emotional and social (divorce of parents), physical changes (handicapping conditions, paraplegia); and psychological problems seemingly not related to self or others.



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